

## General Assembly

## Proposed Bill No. 228

January Session, 2021



Referred to Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH

Introduced by: SEN. LOONEY, 11th Dist.

## AN ACT REQUIRING NOTIFICATION OF A FAMILY MEMBER OF A PATIENT ADMITTED TO A HOSPITAL.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in General Assembly convened:

- 1 That section 19a-508 of the general statutes be amended to require a
- 2 hospital to notify a patient's designated family member when the
- 3 patient is admitted to the hospital.

## Statement of Purpose:

To improve patient care and the patient experience by requiring the notification of a designated family member that the patient has been hospitalized.

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